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THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
ANNUAL REPORT
of the
BOARD OF REGISTRATION IN PHARMACY
for the
Year ending June 30, 1967

Division of Registration,
Mass. Department of Civil Service and Registration: ↑

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100 Cambridge Street, Boston 02202

June 30, 1967

Mrs. Helen C. Sullivan
Director of Registration
State Office Building, Boston

Dear Mrs. Sullivan:

In compliance with statute, we herewith submit the Annual Report of the Board of Registration in Pharmacy for the fiscal year 1967.

The statistical report of the Board of Registration in Pharmacy manifests the routine functions of this self-supporting board. It may be interesting to note that the statistics for this fiscal year 1967, shows a further decline in the number of registered pharmacies in the Commonwealth although the number of registered pharmacists remain fairly constant. In spite of the decrease Massachusetts has more drug stores per capita than most states in the union so that the pharmaceutical services for the communities are ample and competitive. The ratio between drug stores and pharmacists is healthy. The newer stores are a credit to the retail industry.

The activity embraced by the agreement with Federal Government Drug Abuse Control Bureau in carrying out accountabilities of drug abuse drugs by our agents has been commendable.

Continued efforts for good liaison between the State and Federal agencies have produced constructive programs in drug control.

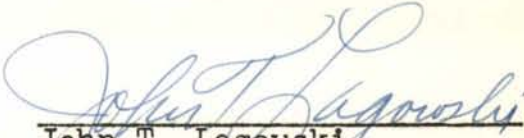
Proposed plans for an internship program to meet national standards are in the making.

Also, all pharmacy legislation, rules and regulations are compiled for re-printed to bring the present copies up to date.


In order to discharge its obligation to the public and to disseminate important current information to the pharmacists this Board requires more funds and more manpower which has been lacking for years. It is through the dedication and efforts of the Board members and staff that the results are as good as they are.

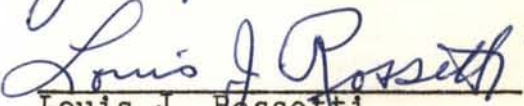
Our statistical report follows.

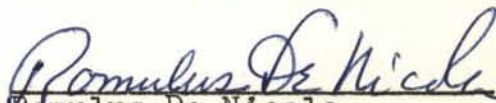
Very truly yours,


John T. Lagowski, PRESIDENT


Richard R. Conlin, SECRETARY


Joseph O. Garant, MEMBER


Louis J. Rossetti, MEMBER


Romulus De Nicola, MEMBER

BOARD OF REGISTRATION IN PHARMACY

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Fiscal Year 1967

July 1, 1966 to June 30, 1967

INCOME

Drug Store Permits.....	\$4,115.00
Certificates of Fitness.....	3,270.00
Wholesale Druggist Licenses.....	3,100.00
Examination Fees.....	1,590.00
Biennial Renewal of Personal Cert. of Registration ..	32,055.00
Reinstatement Fees.....	1,770.00
Reciprocity Fees.....	475.00
Duplicate Certificates.....	140.00
Certified Statements.....	93.00
Miscellaneous	175.00
Total Net Receipts.....	\$46,783.00

EXPENSES

Agents' Services.....	\$36,558.48
Members' Services.....	6,450.00
Repairs.....	390.72
Repairs, Accounts Payable.....	143.92
Travel, Agents and Members.....	3,737.29
Travel, Accounts Payable.....	1,262.71
Office Expenses from Appn. of Director of Reg.....	4,799.28
Office Expenses, Accounts Payable.....	2,156.98
Stenographers' Salaries.....	13,072.50
Total Expenses.....	\$68,571.88

CAPITAL OUTLAY

Equipment-Account "8266-43 (Unencumbered)	\$393.00
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SECRETARY

BOARD OF REGISTRATION IN PHARMACY

July 1, 1966 to June 30, 1967

No. of Meetings for hearings and assembling of markings.....	21
No. of Meetings for examinations held by the Board.....	<u>3</u>
Total Number of Meetings.....	24

HEARINGS

On Certificate of Fitness Applications.....	36
On New Drug Store Applications.....	36
On Wholesale Druggists License.....	1
On Duplicate Certificate Applications.....	31
On Reciprocity Applications.....	20
On Reinstatement Applications as Registered Pharmacist.....	3
On Operating a Drug Store without a Narcotic Permit.....	1
On Illegal Sale of Narcotic Drug.....	2
On Illegal Sales of Harmful Drugs.....	9
On Violation of Alcoholic Beverage Law.....	3
On Violations Against the Code of Professional Conduct.....	7
On Violation of Exempt Narcotic Law.....	1
On Violation of Narcotic Drug Law.....	2
On Operating a Drug Store without a Drug Store Permit.....	1
Total Number of Hearings.....	<u>153</u>

RESULTS OF HEARINGS

Cases placed on file.....	1
Cases placed on probation.....	25
Personal Certificates of Registration Suspended.....	7
Stores Closed for Illegal Sales of Harmful Drugs and Violation of Narcotic Laws.....	3
Drug Store Permits granted to open new stores.....	33
Drug Store Permits Denied.....	3
Drug Store Permits given Leave to Withdraw.....	1
Drug Store Permits Revoked.....	1
Duplicate Certificates Granted.....	31
Reinstatements of Personal Certificates of Registration.....	3
Reciprocity Applications Granted.....	20
Certificates of Fitness Denied.....	3

GENERAL INFORMATION

Number of Drug Stores.....	1830
Number of Drug Stores Holding Certificates of Fitness....	1500
Number of New Drug Stores Opened.....	18
Number of Removals of Drug Stores.....	17
Number of Drug Stores Closed.....	81
Number of Active Registered Pharmacists.....	6463
Number of Active Assistant Registered Pharmacists.....	83
Number of Reinstatements of Reg. & Asst. Reg. Pharmacists	164
Number of Wholesale Druggists' Licenses Issued.....	60

BOARD OF REGISTRATION IN PHARMACY

JULY 1, 1966 to JUNE 30, 1967

EXAMINATIONS FOR REGISTRATION AS PHARMACISTS

	<u>Examined</u>	<u>Registered</u>
September 27, 1966	13	13
December 13, 1966	1	1
June 26, 1967	<u>148</u>	<u>148</u>
TOTAL.....	162	162

REGISTERED BY MASSACHUSETTS THROUGH INTERSTATE RECIPROCITY

CONNECTICUT.....	3
ILLINOIS.....	1
MARYLAND.....	1
NEBRASKA	1
NEW JERSEY	2
NEW YORK	6
OHIO	1
PENNSYLVANIA	3
RHODE ISLAND	<u>2</u>
TOTAL	20

